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In re application of:

Chih-Ming CHEN, et al.

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;[] ;[X] ;[]	Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established. Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27. No fee for additional claims is required. A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:
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[X]	The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.  [X] Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.

Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by sheck submitted herewith, and [X] it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.

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## **Supplemental Response**

Sir:

Further to Applicants' March 29, 2006 Amendment filed in response to the Office Action of December 29, 2005, Applicants submit the following:

Supplemental remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.